

Community Post

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It's a big, big Bazaar weekend!

Over 100 vendors from all over the world have converged on Patch Barracks the weekend for the 2007 USAG-Stuttgart/ Stuttgart Community Spouses' Club Spring Bazaar. Bigger and better than ever, this sprawling bazaar, open Friday, March 16 from 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, March 17 from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, March 18 from 1100 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. encompasses the Patch Fitness Center, Youth Services, Community Center and former Patch PX facility.

Stop by the Bazaar for lunch! Throughout the weekend a host of private organizations will be selling hamburgers, hot dogs, baked beans, BBQ and more.

Soundtrack for the weekend fund raising event will be provided by live entertainment from the bandstand set up at the location of the former New Car Sales lot by the old PX.

Saturday, Rock & Shop with One Brick Shy from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; enjoy a softer mix with Shelley & Friends from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. and you can be the star of the show from 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Open Mic afternoon.

Sunday, The Koenigs present their blend of acoustic & vocals from noon to 1:15 p.m.; Bob "Fitz" Fitzgerald makes it party with a blend of Irish, Pop, Folk, and a whole lot more from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.; and show off your steps...and those new boots from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. while Barry Foley plays your Country & Western favorites.

There is nothing strange about it; the SCSC Spring Bazaar is the place to be this weekend. Proceeds from the event go directly back into our military community.

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...I'm glad I live here!

IMPORTANT CONTACT INFO

Post Operator (Information) 0711-680-113

Emergency Numbers

Ambulance	0711-680-116
Fire	0711-680-117
Police MP (emergency)	0711-680-114
MP Desk (other)	0711-680-5262
Poison Control	06371-86-7070 or 089-19240
From DSN phone	116 or 117
German Police	110
German Ambulance/Fire Department	112

Installation Victim Advocate 0176-262-48894

Sexual Assault Response
Coordinator 0162-297-5265

Other Important Numbers:

American Red Cross	07031-15-2818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Installation Operations Center (IOC)	0711-729-2601
ACS/ Family Support Center	07031-15-3362
Housing Maintenance	0711-680-4357
Military Police	0711-680-5262
<u>Road & Weather Conditions</u>	0711-729-2474

Community Announcements

Health Clinic adjusts services for holiday

Mar. 16 & 19, Apr. 6 & 9: Stuttgart Health Clinic will offer limited services to treat acute issues and Pharmacy services from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. for acute issue refills. Immunizations (normally closed on training and federal holidays) will be open 19 Mar.

TRICARE moves back to Patch Barracks

The TRICARE service center will be moving back to the Patch Health Clinic on March 16. They will be located behind the main clinic building in the new facility constructed to better serve our community.

Daylight Saving Time is coming

In Germany, "Summer Time" begins at 2 a.m., Sunday, March 25. Throughout most of the United States, Daylight Saving Time began March 11.

Women's Club opens sorting rooms

The German American Women's Club will begin accepting donations on March 21 for its fall Pfennig Bazaar. Items, *in good condition only*, can be dropped off at the Patch or Kelley sorting rooms. No electronics or furniture please.

There is also a need for volunteers to help sort the donations.

- Patch Sorting Room- Building 2307 (Washington Center). Contact: gncjackson@yahoo.com
- Kelley Sorting Room- Building 3312 (Behind the Shoppette). Contact: mltidd@aol.com

Fashion for a cause

BOSS Stuttgart presents "Fashion for a Cause" in the Patch Community Club March 24 starting at 7 p.m.

This evening of beauty, fashion & entertainment features live music, fashion show, food, giveaways and dancing. Tickets are \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. 18 and older only.

For more information call DSN 430-8481/ CIV. 0711-680-8481 or email: wilkinsa@eucom.mil

Healthy eating starts with the cart

March is National Nutrition Month- make it a healthy one! Join the Stuttgart Wellness Center and WIC Overseas for a Commissary Shopping Tour on Thursday, March 29 at 10:30 a.m. at the Patch Commissary.

The guided tour will provide tips and tools on how create a meal plan, read food labels, interpret the food pyramid and navigate the Commissary to select the most nutritious foods.

Reserve your spot today by calling 430-7332/ CIV. 0711-680-7322

Stuttgart Girl Scouts seeks Chairperson

The Stuttgart Girl Scouts are looking for a leader to fill the role of overseas committee chair. Contact pheasfitz@hotmail.com for additional requirements and application information. Deadline is March 30

Help honor Stuttgart's Volunteers

U.S. Army Garrison Stuttgart strives to set the standards that make people and units say, "I'm glad I live here." And nowhere is this tradition of selfless service more evident than among our community's volunteers.

The garrison is now encouraging all community members to nominate a volunteer to be honored at the community's annual Volunteer Recognition Ceremony (which will be held April 27 in the Swabian Special Events Center on Patch Barracks). *The nomination deadline is April 5.*

Full information (including award categories and criteria, nomination materials and contact information) is available online at the USAG Stuttgart Web site (www.stuttgart.army.mil).

For more about the recognition program -- or to learn about the many volunteer opportunities available in Stuttgart -- call 431-3363/civ. 07031-15-3363 or e-mail kelly.measells@eur.army.mil.

Intermittent roadblocks on Kelley Barracks

Due to the renovation of building 3308, Oak Straße, Kelley Barracks will be partially blocked for short periods of time (approximately 15 to 30 minutes) between 7:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to facilitate the delivery of building materials and heavy equipment placement. The intermittent, partial blockage will begin March 21 and continue until May 16.

Flagmen will be on site and signs will be posted.

Texas A&M Muster

The Texas A&M Club of Stuttgart will hold its annual Muster Saturday, April 21. All Aggies, former students and friends of Texas A&M, are encouraged to contact William Torbett at 07031-276571 or email: wctiii@hotmail.com for details and an invitation.

Patch/ Panzer Thrift Shop News

The Patch Thrift Shop and the Panzer Consignment & Thrift Shop are both operating under their normal business hours.

➤ The Panzer Consignment & Thrift Shop is open: Monday and Friday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and the third Saturday of the month from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

➤ The Patch Thrift Shop is open: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and the first Saturday of every month from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Panzer Thrift Shop to move to Patch

In the very near future, the Panzer Consignment and Thrift Shop will be moving to join the Patch Thrift Shop in the former PX building. In order to make this move go as smoothly as possible, both thrift shops have temporarily discontinued accepting consignments. Current consignors are asked to pick up all their remaining items between April 16 and April 27. Unclaimed items will become property of the thrift shop.

RB Thrift Shop News

Your Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop is a consignment thrift shop and gladly welcomes your consignments each Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. *Please call before bringing large items.* Please insure that items are clean and in good repair.

Donations are always needed, greatly appreciated and can be dropped off, day or night, inside the entrance to building 196. The shop is open Fridays and Saturdays from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

For more information call 0711-854-242.

Finer Womanhood Scholarship Pageant

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc. hosts the *Finer Womanhood Scholarship Pageant* on Saturday, March 31 at the Kaiserslautern High School. Proceeds will provide scholarships to deserving DODDS students. Ticket donations are \$15 in advance, or \$20 at the door. For tickets and information, email: Natasha: Natasha.hinds@us.army.mil or Cheryl: Cheryl.Berry@us.army.mil.

Help Our Wounded Warriors

The Stuttgart chapter of "Sew Much Comfort" gives all community members an opportunity to assist wounded service members during their recovery and rehabilitation. The group creates, collects and provides adaptive clothing that fits comfortably over medical devices such as casts and prosthetics.

For information: visit www.sewmuchcomfort.org or email: the.sires@gmail.com

Education and Training

Cake Painting with Beth Collard

Bring one 8- or 9-inch round, single-layer, unfrosted cake to the Patch Arts and Crafts Center Thursday, March 29 at either 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. or 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Elizabeth Collard will teach you how to turn that desert into a work of art. Register before March 26- call 430-7109/ CIV. 0711/680-7109 or stop by the Patch Arts & Crafts Center.

PCS/ Separation briefing

The next Permanent Change of Station/ Pre-separation briefing will be held March 28 at 1 p.m. at the Community Welcome Center, building 2913, on Panzer Kaserne.

All service members and civilians departing within the next four to five months should attend, as they will receive valuable information from various agencies including: ACS, transportation/customs, medical, dental, vehicle registration, housing, claims, postal, and Central Processing Facility. Army personnel will also receive briefings on personnel and finance issues.

All separating Army personnel must also attend this briefing to receive pre-separation information. Registration is required.

For more info, and to sign-up, call: 431-2599/civ. 07031-15-2599.

Job Assistance Workshops on Panzer

The Stuttgart Army Career and Alumni Program conducts 2-day workshops designed to assist retiring and transitioning service members (*from all branches*) and their spouses, build a resume, learn effective interview techniques, understand salary negotiation, and more.

➤ The next 2-day workshop is: March 27-28.

Contact the ACAP office at 431-2191/ CIV. 07031-15-2191 to sign up or for more information.

Mandatory Substance Abuse Training

The Stuttgart Army Substance Abuse Program office has finalized the schedule for annual ASAP training opportunities.

ASAP training is mandatory for Department of the Army civilians; however, all military personnel, local nationals and contractors are invited and highly encouraged to attend the training.

For more information call 431-2530/civ. 07031-15-2530 or e-mail scott.maylender@eur.army.mil.

You can access the full FY07 ASAP training schedule from the USAG Stuttgart website (www.stuttgart.army.mil) or at: http://www.stuttgart.army.mil/sites/services/asap_2007.pdf

American Red Cross Instructor Class

The Stuttgart American Red Cross is offering a CPR/First Aid/AED instructor class starting April 30, 9:30 a.m., on the third floor of Building 2915, Panzer Kaserne. This one-week class will run through May 4 and will include all FIT (Fundamentals of Instructor Training) materials.

Each candidate must have a basic CPR and First Aid certificates to enroll.

For more information, contact the Stuttgart American Red Cross Office at 431-2812/ CIV: 07031-15-2812.

Free Professional Development Courses

The Civilian Human Resource Agency (CHRA) Europe, Human Resource Development Division offers professional development and training opportunities at various locations in Europe. The courses are open to DA Civilians, local national employees, and service members. The tuition is free.

Go to: <http://cpolrhp.belvoir.army.mil/eur/index.htm> - click "Training & Development" then "HRDD Courses in Europe" for detailed information.

To sign up for a course, click the "enroll" button to the left of the course date and title. Your first step is to complete a Civilian Human Resources Training Administration System (CHRTAS) profile.

Seats available for computer class

The Organizational Unit Administrator (TL Revised) class is being offered on Monday, March 26 in bldg. 3307-E on Kelley Barracks.

If you are interested in this class, please go to the class's registration page at:

<https://www.uatp.hqusareur.army.mil/classes.aspx?ClassID=4563> or call 421-2475.

Seasonal Religious Services

For more information, contact the USAG-Stuttgart Chaplains' office: 430-5000/CIV.0711-680-5000.

CATHOLIC

March 26	
Reconciliation Service	5:00 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 5	
Holy Thursday Service	7:00 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 6	
Good Friday Service	3:00 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 7	
Holy Saturday Service	8:30 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
Easter Service	9:00 a.m. Patch Chapel
	11:30 a.m. Robinson Chapel

JEWISH PASSOVER SEDERS

April 2-3, 5:30 - 8:30pm in the Robinson Chapel Annex

LUTHERAN

April 5	
Maundy Thursday	5:30 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 6	
Good Friday Service	5:30 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
Easter Service	9:00 a.m. Robinson Chapel

PROTESTANT

April 8	
Easter Sunrise Service	6:30 a.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
Easter Service	11:00 a.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
Easter Gospel Service	12:45 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
Easter Praise and Worship Service	6:00 p.m. Patch Chapel
April 8	
COGIC Service	1:00p.m. Robinson Bldg 115

Children and Teens

High School Follies!

Don't miss "High School Follies 2007" Friday, March 23 in the Patch High School Forum. Students in grades nine through 12 will perform and compete for prizes in music and dance routines.

The box office opens at 6:15 p.m. and the show begins at 7:00 p.m. Adults - \$5.00, students - \$3.00. Free admission for children under five years old.

For more information, email Andrea or Beth at [pfs_follies@yahoo.com](mailto:phs_follies@yahoo.com).

Girl Scouts Junior Jamboree

The Girl Scout Junior Jamboree will be held Saturday, March 24 at the Panzer Gym from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Junior Girl Scouts will be introduced to new skills, meet girls from other troops, and enjoy fun activities like: obstacle course, rock climbing, dancing, tie-dying, crafts, and more crafts.

Peace Project Contest

Attention students in grades one through 12! The Army Community Service, Family Advocacy Program is holding a peace project contest. Tell us, either by essay or art project, how you contribute to peace in your home, in your community or in the world. The winners will be announced during the Family Advocacy Program Leadership conference on April 18 and prizes will be awarded.

The deadline for this contest is Friday, March 30. Entry forms and information packets are available at the Stuttgart Army Community Service office, Panzer Kaserne, BLDG. 2915.

For more information, contact Ellie Benavides at 431-3342/3362/Civ. 07031-15-3342/3362.

Patch Elementary hosts sock-hop

Students in all grades, and their families, are invited to the Patch Elementary School Sock-Hop Friday, March 23 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Enjoy dinner, dancing, photos on a Genuine Harley Davidson, and more.

For information, and volunteer opportunities, contact Shamia Glover at 0711-620-4656/ or e-mail shamia.glover@hotmail.com.

AVID Applications Available at PHS

AVID applications for school year 2007-2008 may be picked up in the front office of the high school.

Details and requirements are available at the school or contact Claire Dickmeyer, AVID coordinator, at 430-5188 (after 3:00pm) for more information.

Are you on the right bus?

Effective immediately, students attending Robinson Elementary/Middle School who are assigned to busses 30, 31 or 32 should return on their assigned bus at the end of the School day. Bus passes will be checked to verify compliance.

Parents please ensure your child is aware of this request.

CYS SKIES Program Offers New Classes

In addition to the popular music and arts classes currently available, the School of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration and Skills (SKIES) is now offering three new courses.

- **Babies and Parents Sign Language-** Offered every Wednesday or Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Patch Fitness Center.
- **Tutoring Services-** Elementary and middle school students can get help with homework at the Patch CYS Training room, Monday and Thursday, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., and Wednesday, 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
- **Math and Science-** Elementary and middle school math and science classes are offered Mondays and Thursdays from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

For more information, contact the CYS SKIES Instructional Program Specialist at 430-5606/CIV. 0711-680-5606.

JOB CORNER

Public Affairs Specialist Needed

The USAG Stuttgart Public Affairs Office is accepting resumes to fill a part-time (30 hours weekly) contract position. Individual will be the primary liaison and coordinator for all external Host Nation media for the Garrison Commander and all tenant units for the Stuttgart and Garmisch garrison. Contractor will also be responsible for providing administrative support to the Public Affairs Officer and section chiefs.

Applicants must have a bachelor's degree and a minimum of 3 years administrative experience; a basic working knowledge of MS Word, Excel and PowerPoint. Major duties include handling incoming telephone and visitor inquiries, maintaining the public affairs officer's calendar, processing personnel actions, preparing purchase requests and contract acquisition documents. This position requires the ability to communicate well in English and German, both orally and in writing. Ability to prioritize tasks and work independently to meet deadlines is required.

Please submit your resume, via email, to: lawrence.reilly@eur.army.mil no later than March 22.

For more information call: 421-1400/ CIV. 0711-729-1400.

Newcomer Orientation Instructor Needed

The Stuttgart Army Community Service, Relocation Readiness Team is looking for an instructor to conduct the Stuttgart Newcomers Orientation (SNO) courses. This is a contract position, approximately 16 hours per contracted week.

For more information, contact the Relocation Readiness Program Manager, at 431-3348/ CIV. 07031-15-3348, attn: Mr. Herman Hurd, Army Community Services, Bldg# 2915, APO, AE 09107. Apply before March 23.

Gospel Religious Education Coordinator

Qualified volunteers will be given first priority. Available through USAG-Stuttgart Chaplain's Office: 430-5000/Civ. 0711-680-5000. Contact will run through September 30. Apply before March 24.

Chaplain Office administration Services

Qualified volunteers will be given the first priority. Contact the USAG-Stuttgart Chaplain's Office: 430-5000/CIV. 0711-680-5000. Contract will run through September 30. Apply before March 23.

German Language Translator

Army Community Service relocation readiness team seeks a German Language Translator. This is a contract position for approximately 10.5 hours per week.

Contact Stuttgart ACS at 431-3348/ CIV. 07031-15-3348, or stop by the ACS office in the Community Services Building, Panzer 2915, for details. Apply before March 23.

SPORTS & LEISURE

Civilian Fitness Program

Upon supervisor approval, DA Civilians and Local National employees may be authorized up to 3 duty-hours per week for 6 months to conduct physical fitness training under the Civilian Fitness Program.

Health and fitness assessments will be conducted throughout the month of March, by appointment only, at the Stuttgart Wellness Center, building 2307 on Patch Barracks.

Please contact Wellness@Stuttgart.army.mil for the enrollment packet and additional information or call: 430-4073/Civ. 0711-680-4073

The Civilian Fitness Program is offered and managed by the Stuttgart Wellness Center in accordance with AR 600-63, Army Health Promotion.

Spring Fling 5K Race and Family Fun Run

Stuttgart Sports and Fitness is kicking off the Month of the Military Child with a 5K race and fun run Saturday, March 31 on Patch Barracks, Husky Field at 10:30 a.m. Runners and walkers of all ages are welcome. First 300 entrants receive a t-shirt. Refreshments will be available and awards will be presented after the run.

For registration information, contact the Patch Fitness Center: 430-7136/ CIV. 0711-680-7136

Stuttgart Outdoor Recreation Ski Trips

Hit the slopes with Stuttgart Outdoor Recreation now through April 21. Day trips are offered every Saturday to Arlberg, Austria or Malbun, Liechtenstein. Cost is \$30 per person and includes transportation and equipment (if needed).

Bus departs from Panzer Kaserne at 5 a.m. and returns at approx. 8 p.m.

For more information call 431-2774/ CIV. 07031-15-2774, or stop by Panzer Kaserne, building 2949, Monday through Friday between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

History Book Group

The EUCOM History Office invites all history lovers to join the new EUCOM History Book Group -- no tests or homework! The first meeting is Thursday, April 26. The topic: "Are Some States Destined to Fail?" We will discuss the works of Jared Diamond: Guns, Germs, and Steel or Collapse. Meetings are the last Thursday of every month from 12:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Rindy's Conference Room in the basement of Bldg. 2308, Patch Barracks.

For more information call 430-7152 or 430-7106

Stuttgart Golf Course Membership Drive

Swing over to the Swabian Special Events Center on Patch Barracks and sign up for you 2007 Stuttgart Golf Course membership Friday, March 23 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Enjoy food and drinks and a chance to win a free one-year membership.

For more information, contact the Stuttgart Golf Course at 07141-879-151.

On the Go with the Stuttgart USO

For more information on these trips and tours, visit: www.uso.org/stuttgart, stop by the USO office in the Community Services Center, Panzer Kaserne #2915 or call 431-3505/ CIV. 07031-15-3505.

Volunteers Always Welcome

Interested in working with the USO? Contact the Stuttgart USO Operations Coordinator at 431-3504 or email: ops.stuttgart@uso.org or come into our office and talk to our staff.

March special:

In honor of National Women's History Month, all active duty, female service members who sign-up for the Colmar city tour & Wine taste will receive a 10% discount. *Offer valid only for active duty member, family members will pay full price

➤ **March 23-25, Fri-Sun: Paris Express**

Dream of your perfect day in Paris, and bring it to life. After a city tour in the morning, the day and evening are yours. When you add up the financial cost of tolls, fuel and parking and a two hour city tour, plus the emotional price of stressful traffic, there is no better way to travel to Paris for the day than with the USO. Bring US passport and Euro. Travel documents are the responsibility of the customer. Tour price includes transportation, and USO escort. Departs Patch: 23:30; Returns: Approx. 06:00; Cost: \$115 Adult/ \$109 Child

➤ **March 24, Saturday: Hello Stuttgart**

This tour will introduce you to Stuttgart and its surroundings. First, the USO tour guide will take you to downtown Stuttgart and explain the public transportation system. Then you will be shown the main pedestrian area, the outdoor and indoor farmers' markets and many other points of interest in the historical center. Bring Euro. Tour price includes public transportation, city tour, and USO escort. Departs: 08:45 SHARP! Patch front gate. Returns: Approx. 16:00 Cost: \$ 15 Adult\ \$10 Child

➤ **March 24, Saturday: Regensburg**

Come sightseeing in an ancient city...a medieval metropolis. You will find relics of Stone Age and Celtic times in the museum, Roman masonry by the roadside, early Bavarian and Carolingian remains just below street-level...Regensburg is history! Its splendid buildings in all architectural styles, from Romanesque to Classical, bear witness to its 2,000 year past, its stones and "documents". And one stone really is a document: a foundation stone from the Roman fort of Castra Regina, inscribed in 179 A.D., when Marcus Aurelius was emperor. Thus a walk around Regensburg, the former free imperial city, proves to be a chance to travel back in time without a time machine. Bring Euro. Tour price includes transportation, guided city tour and USO escort. Departs: 6:00Patch Returns: Approx. 21:00 Cost: \$89 Adult/ \$83 Child

➤ **March 25, Sunday: Easter market & Bärenhöhle**

Join the USO as we explore the Bärenhöhle, one of nature's fascinating underground treasures with its Stalactites and Stalagmites, which were formed thousands of years ago. After lunch (at the local pasta factory) we will continue to Sonnenbühl, home of the first and only Easter egg museum in Germany. In addition to the delightful museum, more than 45 artists will be in attendance at the Easter Egg Market, arguably the finest in Germany. It is rumored that you will see no artist's technique duplicated. Painted, carved, etched, embroidered or decouped... you are bound to fall in love with at least one egg with such a selection! We will enjoy a guided museum tour upon our arrival, followed by free time for shopping, and exploring the pleasant town of Sonnenbühl. Bring Euro. Tour price includes transportation, museum admission and USO escort. Departs: 08:00 Patch Returns: Approx. 17:00. Cost: \$62 Adult/ \$53 Child

➤ **March 27, Tuesday: Bodenmais Crystal Shopping**

We'll shop 'til we drop at the discount crystal shops in Bodenmais, Germany. As far back as 700 years ago Bodenmais has produced glass products. Purchase anything from crystal drinking glass, to vases, bowls, jewelry, clocks and chandeliers. Need a unique beautiful gift? Go ahead, get one for a friend but don't forget to buy something for yourself. You will also have the opportunity to watch glass blowing demonstrations and, if you like, you can try it yourself. Bring Euro, VAT forms and credit cards. Not recommended for Children! Tour price includes transportation and USO escort. Departs Patch: 05:00; Returns: Approx. 22:00; Cost: \$ 60

➤ **March 30, Friday: Dinner Club - Mexico, Ole'!**

Vamos a comer...Enchiladas, Tacos, Fajitas, Sopapillas...it is Mexican Time with USO's Dinner Club! Bring your friends and join us for authentic Cocina Mexicana, Margaritas and Musica Latina. Bring Euro. Tour price includes transportation and USO escort. Departs Patch: 18:30; Returns: Approx. 22:30; Cost:\$ 20

➤ **March 31, Saturday: Colmar City & Wine Tasting**

Colmar, France lies near the vine-covered foothills of the southern Vosges, in the climatically favored Upper Rhine plain. Situated near the mouths of two major valleys in the Vosges, it is an excellent center from which to explore the High Vosges, its picturesque old burghers' houses of the 16th and 17th centuries and its many art treasures. This very old city dating back to 823 A.D. was the birthplace of Frederic-Auguste Bartholdi (1834-1904), the sculptor and idealist who created the Lion of Belfort and New York's Statue of Liberty. Bring valid US passport and Euro. Tour price includes transportation, city tour and USO escort. Departs Patch: 07:00; Returns: Approx. 20:00

...don't say there's nothing to do!

AAFES MOVIE SCHEDULE- Patch Theater

- Movies and show-times are subject to change without notice. For updates, call the Patch Movie Line at 0711-120-8222 or go to: <http://www.aafes.com>.

Friday Mar. 16	7:00 PM	Happily N'ever After	PG
	10:00 PM	300	R
Saturday Mar. 17	4:00 PM	Happily N'ever After	PG
	7:00 PM	300	R
Sunday Mar. 18	1:00 PM	Happily N'ever After	PG
	4:00 PM	Night at the Museum	PG
	7:00 PM	300	R
Monday Mar. 19	7:00 PM	Code Name: The Cleaner	PG-13
Tuesday Mar. 20	7:00 PM	Primeval	R
Wednesday Mar. 21	7:00 PM	Alpha Dog	R
Thursday Mar. 22	7:00 PM	Primeval	R
Friday Mar. 23	7:00 PM	Shooter	R
	10:00 PM	Stomp the Yard	PG-13

Clubs, Dining & Entertainment**Robinson Barracks Community Club:**

(Bldg. #168. 420-6129/civ. 0711-819-6129)

- **Wednesday**— Game Night, 5pm -11pm
- **Thursday**— Potluck BBQ, 5p.m. to 11p.m.
- **Friday** - Dart Night, 5p.m. to Midnight
- **Saturday** — Music and Party Night

➤ **Free movies and free popcorn!**

Pre-release movies run continuously throughout the day during normal opening hours. Call or stop by the RB Community Club for details.

The Broadway Café (Kelley 3319, 421-2315/ CIV. 0711-729-2315)

Stop by and check out Kelley Barracks' newest hot spot! The Broadway Café features a variety of coffees as well as delicious cakes and fresh baked cookies. Open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and evenings before and during theater performances.

The Broadway Café is also available for private parties and functions. For booking information, send e-mail to: alan.buxkemper@us.army.mil

The Kelley Community Club: (Next to the Kelley Hotel. 421-2943/civ. 0711-729-2943)

- **Game Night Tuesdays:** 7 - 11 p.m.
Come on in; meet up with friends and play games such as dominoes, cards and X-Box
- **Karaoke Wednesdays** 9 p.m. - Midnight
Are you the next American Idol? Go for it!
- **Acoustic Jam:** Thursdays from 7:30 - 11p.m.
Bring your axe, fiddle or banjo and join the fun!
- **Jazz and Variety Fridays:** 8 p.m. - Midnight
Jazz and more with DJ Smooth K.

Sliders Lounge: (next to the Swabian Inn, Patch Barracks). 430-5758/civ. 0711-430-5758

Entertainment every Friday night:

- March 16: Karaoke w/ DJ Nev
- March 23: Live R&B w/ All That

Saturday, March 18: Slant

- Edgy, melodic, grunge-tastic Rock & Roll courtesy of Armed Forces Entertainment

Saturday, March 24: One Brick Shy

- Rock & Roll with one of Stuttgart's great local bands

Sliders Dinner Specials:

- Wednesdays- Steak & Rib Night
- Thursdays- Seafood Night

Galaxy Bowling & Entertainment Center:

(Panzer Kaserne: 431-2719/civ. 07031-15-2719)

- **Community Appreciation Days-** Every Monday. \$1.00 per game and free shoe rental.
- **Duty Bowl-** Two hours of unlimited bowling for \$6. Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- **Red Pin Wednesdays-** Knock down a red-pin with a strike and win a free game,
- **Cosmic Red Pin Bowling-** Knock down the red-pin with a strike and win a free game. Saturdays, 8 p.m. to Close.

Summer leagues are forming now! -Stop by The Galaxy for details.

Kid's Bowling Clinic starts in April

From April 9 to 13, kids can learn the fine art of bowling or hone their already existing skills. Four, three-day, two-hour sessions will be offered.

Let the Galaxy host your next birthday party

Packages start at \$6.50 per child and include pizza, soda, bowling, and shoes. Theme and Cosmic parties are available.

Contact the Galaxy for reservations or for more information. 431-2719/civ. 07031-15-2719.

The Trading Post

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For Sale: Vehicles:

1998 BMW 316i, 2dr, automatic, metallic-blue. Great condition. Winter/summer tires. 126Km. \$5500, OBO. Call: 0162-296-8010.

1993 BMW 320i sedan 4D, PS, PW, PDL, AM/FM stereo w/CD player, sun roof, alloy wheels. 218,000 Km. \$2,500, OBO. Call Ted or Kate @ 0711-601-6766 or 0175-718-5175.

2006 Chevrolet Silverado 1500, V-6, white, single cab, short wheel base, tinted windows, 5500 miles, AT, AC, Cruise, PS, PB, AM/FM, excellent condition. \$14,900, OBO. Call: 0711-907261-305 or 0162-234-1930

2005 Chrysler Town and Country LX. Stow & Go sitting. Like new. 26,500 miles. Blue exterior, grey interior. 7-Passenger, dual front air-bags, power windows, CD/Cassette, roof rack, new Premium alloy wheels, power seat, privacy glass, with ½" towing-hitch and a 4 bicycle rear rack, US Title & Specs. \$16,500, OBO. Pictures and contact info: <http://crazy-aupairs.de/sale.html>

2002 Dodge Neon, gold, 36K miles, manual transmission, rear spoiler, alloy rims, CD, power door locks, tires less than a year old, brand new all season battery, non-smoking car, kept in excellent condition, Blue Book value: \$6500 asking: \$5500, OBO. Call: 01757161568

2003 Ford Escape XLS, dark grey metallic, 3.0L Duratec V6 engine, 52k miles, automatic, power windows/locks, keyless entry, AM/FM cassette/CD, alloy wheels. Great condition. \$10000, OBO. Email: jennwagner77@hotmail.com or call 07118104246

1999 Ford Taurus SE Wagon 4D, AC, PS, PW, PDL, tilt-wheel, cruise control, AM/FM stereo w/cassette, dual front air-bags, roof rack, power seats, third seat, alloy wheels. 90,000 Miles. \$4,000 OBO. Call Ted or Kate @ 0711-601-6766 or 0175-718-5175.

1997 Ford Taurus, 136k miles. Good condition, front rotors and brakes changed at 122k, tires has lots of tread left, 3.0 L engine, oil changed every 3K, very dependable car. Handles great in snow, Available March 30th. \$3000 OBO, HM: 0703-168-5145, DSN: 434-5404, mano1800@hotmail.com

2005 Honda Civic EX 4dr sedan. US Specs. 14,000 mi. 4 Cyl 1.7L VTEC Engine (Great gas mileage!) Automatic 4-speed trans. Grey Metallic in color. Power Windows/Locks/Mirrors/Moon

Roof/Steering. Keyless Entry, AM/FM/CD Stereo. Alloy Wheels, Front and side Airbags, 4 wheel anti-lock brakes, Thule Roof Rack with Ski/Snowboard Attachment. Asking \$17,000.00 or take over loan payments of \$355.72 a month. Call Tim: 430-4063 /Civ 0711-680-4063/ Cell 0162-296-0319 or email: tim_m_horton@yahoo.com

1997 Mercedes Benz E 420, All wheel drive option, heated front seats, Bose stereo with 6 CD changer, integrated phone, power windows, sunroof, cruise control, leather interior, 85,000 miles. In need of some work. \$8500.00. Call 07031-439-592.

1999 Volvo S80, dark blue, automatic, tan leather interior, German specs, front wheel drive, A/C, new summer tires, back seat pass thru for skis, CD player, keyless entry. Dealer maintained, runs great, some minor scratches, just passed inspection. Excellent autobahn car! Great travel and family car; wish I could take it with me. Asking: \$6,500, OBO. Call 430-5897 or 0176-2340-9654.

2003 Harley-Davidson Fatboy 100th anniversary addition. Black and silver, lots of aftermarket chrome, 2 seats, saddle bags, sissy bar and quick-connect windshield. \$16,000. Call: 07157535291 (after 5pm) or email: Hotek@hotmail.com.

For Sale: Miscellaneous:

Black XBOX 110V/NTSC system, purchased in 2005. Very good condition and functiona. two remote controls, DVD system including 20 games: \$250, OBO. Contact Mr. Gonzalez at 0162-2726564.

Beautiful antique dining table (only, no chairs): \$800.00, OBO. 130 cm round table from ca. 1900. Solid golden oak, fully restored professionally. 4 leaves: 55 cm each. The total size is 350 cm.

AEG freezer chest, 184L capacity, 220V, like new: \$100.00. For more information or photos, call 07031 685607 or email damakada@t-online.de.

AFN decoder, never used: \$200.00. Email: swa9651084@aol.com

Bose 161 speakers: \$100.00; Bose Acoustimass 3 Series IV \$150.00; JVC RX 8040B receiver: \$150.00; JVC HR XVC-1 VCR/DVD player: \$100.00. All components are in their original boxes and in new condition. Call Chuck @ 0711 440 9268.

Desk with two drawers: FREE. You must transport. Light coloured wood, in good condition. Contact 07152-926009 evenings or mum2kenai@gmail.com.

Tailgator child-bike attachment. Allows you to attach your child's bike to your own, and quickly detach so that the child can ride on their own. Good for short-to-medium length family trips. Brand new and unused, in box. Paid €99. Asking: \$80. Contact 07152-926009 evenings or mum2kenai@gmail.com.

Kitchen Appliances (\$50 total, available March 23rd): Braun coffee maker and hand mixer, Philips toaster and food processor; small microwave. Outdoor Equipment (\$50 total, available March 30th): hammer drill, electric lawn mower, electric weed-wacker. IKEA Closet System (\$550, available prior to March 21st): Seven unit closet system with tall mirror, shoe rack, hamper, shelves, accessory drawers, (2) hanging sections for tops/shirts and (2) pant hanging sections; in excellent condition - original price: €1100. Weight bench with bar: \$25 (weights not included). Free to good home: Weber grill (w/small dent on top), IKEA chair with foot rest, Elliptical workout machine - old, but works. Contact Rebecca @ 07054 928281 or rebeccawhite2001@hotmail.com.

Black Onyx Nine Drawer Dresser \$30.00/Black Onyx Three Shelves Corner Unit - Light attachment at the top \$30.00 (will sell both together for \$50.00)/7' Christmas Tree \$25.00/ Boxes of new 110v white Christmas Lights and various Christmas items \$25.00/2-Gold 110v Lamps \$10.00. Call Jacque at 01704508047.

Imaginarium train table with 6 built-in storage bins underneath. Great condition. \$75 firm. Dimensions: 32.5x49.5x20 in. Contact Cindy or Jay 07031-633-747 or gendron.fam@t-online.de.

Sopranos Seasons 1-5 \$200, The Wire Seasons 1-3 \$175, NYPD Blue Seasons 1-4 \$120. New Nintendo Game Cube with four games \$75. Contact James, 07031-7637880

Box of English books in good condition. Novels, some short stories, classics, and modern works. Asking: \$1-\$2 per book, as donation for mission work in the Philippines. Every penny is a help. If interested, please contact: Angelika Frazier, 421-2363/CIV. 0711-729-2363 or e-mail: angelika.frazier@us.army.mil

220V air conditioner. Paid: €300.00; asking: \$175.00. Call Mike: 0711-6742-432 OR email: eurtour2@t-online.de

220V office fridge: \$75. 220V full size fridge w/ freezer top: \$250. Thule/Volvo ski box: \$250. Call Connie at 07116562880 or 430-8628 or email: uvula8@yahoo.com

4 tires for Chrysler Town & Country \$200; Millennium Theater Systems Cinema Series 2006p Home Theater surround System, 110V \$400 OBO; Mountain bike female + male, yellow, 26", shocks \$40 each; 3D Kites: Pterodactyl, Clown Fish, Turtle, Pirate Ship, 50" to 78" wingspan, \$13 each; Hiking Backpack tall, \$25; Food saver Vac1075 Elite with store&cut, Bags, and more, 110V \$60; Wireless Router 110V, \$10; MS Office Prof. 2003 German, \$140; ATI Radeon 9550 256MB Grapics card, VGA, S-Video, DVI support - NEW - \$80; Ikea Bath Mirror Cabinet SILJAN \$20; Blue Bean Pillows big \$5 each; Pictures (with Frames) \$5-\$50. Call 0711-6019125 or Email Anja.Thelen@gmx.de

Apts/Houses For Rent- CONUS:

PCS-ing to the DC area? 5-bedroom/2-bath, single-family home on quiet cul-de-sac just 15 minutes from the Pentagon. Kitchen and bathrooms completely renovated. Available: 1 April. Rent: \$1750. Contact Martha at marthaflo@aol.com.

Apts/Houses For Rent- local:

3-bdr/2 bath/2-story penthouse apartment in Leonberg Marktplatz area. Radiant floor heating throughout, 2 ceiling fans, walk-in closet, attic & basement storage, w/d hook-ups and secure parking garage. Great location- 20min to Patch, Panzer, RB, and downtown Stuttgart, two bus stops less than 200ft from apartment, 15 min walking distance to Leonberg train station. You'll love the weekly Wed market and the holiday fests in the Marktplatz as well as being next to the wonderful bakeries, groceries, restaurants, and shops. 150 sqm living space and 20 sqm usable space. Rent: €1.339,72 plus €290,00 monthly for utilities. Contact Matthias Sauer: 0561.9972654 or sauer@documenta.de.

Fully renovated House (Duplex) in Bad Cannstatt area. Full kitchen w/ dishwasher, stove and refrigerator. Light fixtures, 1200 sq ft (120 SqM), big yard (2.5 AR) with lots of evergreen trees. Public park, bakery, and grocery across the street. Walking distance to S-Bahn. Available April 1. Pets welcome. Rent: €1550/ month. Call Martina: 0163-230-4261 or 0711-313750

Brand-New house for rent in beautiful Wildberg village. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. 2 car garage & garden. House backs up to walking trails and bike paths. Close to Panzer school bus route. Available May. Contact Stacey: msragan04@gmail.com.

Beautiful country home in Renningen-Malmsheim. Available April 15. 5 bdr /1 bath. House is 2 years old and has 3 floors, washer and dryer hook-ups, 1 patio, 1 built-in-kitchen. Bakery right next door. Great location- 20/25 min drive to Patch, Panzer. 165 sqm living space/ 20 sqm usable space. €1.363,20/ month plus €75,00/ month to landlord for water and sewage. Electricity is separate. All repairs and operational costs are included in the rent. Contact Robert at 0175-338-8279.

4 bedroom, 2-bath apartment in Stuttgart West. 15 minute drive to Patch or Kelley, U-bahn and bus around the corner. Wonderful residential neighborhood with bakeries, shops and restaurants. Quiet and private, sunny with lots of windows, nice views, and a small balcony. Open floor plan for kitchen, dining room and living room. Kitchen has all appliances built-in. Efficient storage in a small walk-in pantry with room for a 2d fridge. Stacking washer and dryer in bathroom. Comes with light fixtures. All rooms wired for phone, internet and TV. AFN satellite already installed. Phone and high speed DSL internet package can be transferred. Available 15 June, but willing to consider earlier date, or a one year sub-lease as furnished apt. Rent: 1800 Euro. Includes a 1 car garage, storage room and parking spot. Contact: clsmart@gmail.com, DSN 430-6887, cell 0151 1153 4116.

Apartment for rent in Leinfelden. 3 BR, 1 Bath/Shower, 1 WC, Kitchen (appliances included), Living RM, Dining RM, Balcony, 2 Cellar RMS, Washroom, Private Parking, Close (10-15 mins) to Patch and Kelley Barracks, Can move in April 1st. Pictures at: <http://www.itechmedia.com/apt>. Call 0175-324-8393 / 0711-440-9507

Wanted:

Seeking responsible regular house/dogsitters for variable length stays (2-7 days) throughout the year. Drive to Patch approximately 15 minutes. Drive to Panzer approximately 20 minutes. Two labs. requiring walks and attention. Nice home for relaxing. 25 Euro per full day. Contact 07152-926009 evenings or mum2kenai@gmail.com.

Sturdy, gently used, TV-stand for 42" plasma screen. Base= 16X26 IN. TV rises above stand and extends left and right beyond the base by another 10 inches on each side. An ideal cabinet would be very sturdy, about 3 - 4 feet tall, with cabinet space beneath. For use in the Patch Elementary School lobby. Please contact Jackie Nasca, PTA Pres, Patch Elem School 430 5193 or jackie@jnasca.com.

Light-colored, natural wood, twin bed for boys room. American size with or without mattress and springs. E-mail: bquilla2003@yahoo or call 07031-283-593.

Someone who likes infants and is available from 0830 to 1530, Monday to Friday. The job would be to help feed, walk and care for (3) 15 month old girls. Salary is negotiable. If you are interested, please call: From 0700 to 1530, 430-8795 (Civ. 0711-680-8795) From 1630 to 2100, 07156-170328

Looking to rent 4/ 4+ bdrm house/ townhouse beginning in May. Close to Panzer. Email: bluvmack@gmail.com

4/4+ bedroom single family house, duplex, or row house with at least two full bathrooms and garage beginning July or August. Email: goski2007@hotmail.com

Messiah – singers needed! The German-American Community Chorus has started rehearsing for its anniversary performance of Handel's Messiah, planned to take place on the first weekend in December. Though intensive rehearsals will only start up in May/June, anyone who would like a gentler introduction to the work – mixed with lighter fare – is very welcome to join in now, or even just listen in. A good idea if you have never sung Messiah before (but have always wanted to), or if it's a long time since you sang it (at college?). It's also a great way to get to know people of many different nationalities. The Chorus currently practices each Monday at 7.30 p.m. in the Chapel Annex, Robinson Barracks. Rehearsals generally take about two hours, interrupted by a refreshment break. As well as its musical activities, new members can look forward to numerous social occasions, outings, etc. For general information on the Chorus visit www.sgacc.de. For details contact David (0711-463 463) or Noreen (07231-52226); e-mail: noreen.odonovan@arcor.de or beckner.dandr@t-online.de

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